FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Huber Reid M</u> | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol INCYTE CORP [INCY] | | | | | | | | (Check a | l applicable) Director | | Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (checkly) | |
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| (Last) 1801 AU | (Fi | , | (Middle) | | | oate of 27/20 | | st Tran | saction | (Mont | h/Day/Year) | | | Officer (give title pelow) EVP, Chief S | | Other (specify below) ientific Officer | | |
| (Street) WILMIN | IGTON DI | Ε : | 19803 | 4. If | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | Line) X | , | | | | |
| (City) | (St | | Zip) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | Tabl | le I - N | on-Deriv | vative | Sec | uritie | s Ac | quire | d, Di | sposed o | of, or E | Benefic | ially O | wned | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date) | | | | | | Execution Date, | | | | es Acquired (A) or Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a | | d 5) S | Amount of ecurities eneficially wned Following eported | Fori | Ownership m: Direct or Indirect Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
| | | | | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | т | ransaction(s) nstr. 3 and 4) | | | (111341. 4) |
| Common | Common Stock | | | 02/27/ | 2017 | 017 | | | S | | 2,008 | D | \$131 | .88(1) | 52,262 ⁽²⁾ | | D | |
| | | Ta | able II | | | | | | | | osed of, convertib | | | | ned | | | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | if any | emed ion Date, /Day/Year) | | Transaction Code (Instr. | | rative rities gired r osed) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) | | 8. Price Derivan Securii (Instr. ! | ive derivative Securities | y | Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exerci: | sable | Expiration Date | Title | or Number of Shares | | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. This transaction was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by reporting person.
- 2. Includes an aggregate of 27,496 shares of common stock issuable pursuant to previously reported restricted stock units that have not vested.

Remarks:

/s/ Reid Huber

03/01/2017

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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